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SATURDAY MARCH 10

PRIMARIES TO BE CHANGED.

Republicans Select May Instead of First Saturday in June.==Many Candidates are Announcing Themselves.

At the time of the Republican primaries will be changed from the first Saturday in June to a Saturday in is now almost a certainty and chairman Harry F. Seanor, will soon call the Republican county committee together that purpose.

The reason for this change is very important to Westmoreland Republicans. Date of the primaries under the present rule seriously interferes with the Westmoreland delegates taking part in celebration of the Republican caucus, previous to the state convention.

The convention is held the Tuesday after the first Saturday in June, which does not give the county committeemen time to get into caucus. This has been the cause of contention and "powers" have decided that it is time for a change.

The proposed change, if made, will enable Westmoreland county to secure a voice at the state convention. The delegates primaries are to be the last held by party machinery, as the new primary election law goes into effect next October. Under this law, the primaries will be conducted by the regular election board, the polls remaining open from 6 to 8 p. m. County authorities will have charge of the election, count the votes and furnish all supplies. Returns are to be certified to the county commissioners who will hold their primaries at the same time and place. The election of their party being given the right when they enter the election room. Separate returns are made by the election boards and returns posted at the polling place as soon as the count is completed.

The law compels the candidate to have his name certified to the county commissioners in advance of the time set for primaries and each candidate must have a petition signed by a certain number of the names of the voters in the district.

The new law becomes effective this year and will send out complete instructions for the benefit of candidates and others interested. The prospects at present are for a large number of Republican candidates in the field and they will have to get busy. Several have already announced their candidacy for the various offices.

Homestead Council Affairs Mixed.

Homestead municipal affairs are in a state of chaos, due to the squabble at the organization of Homestead council, each claiming to have been elected to the vacancy of council. John D. Silvius, Republican nominee, gave a majority vote to Frank J. Erbeck. Erbeck was doing the same for Silvius and each voted for himself and was declared elected.

Silvius secured the privilege of recasting his vote and declared himself elected. He was forcibly put out of the chair by the chamber. Erbeck then appointed committees. Silvius will follow.

A Special Train.

A special train will be run from Monessen to Monessen Sunday morning, at 1:30 o'clock, allowing those wishing to attend the Elks' Minstrel performance to return home promptly. Those must have a special ticket to ride on the special train. Tickets will be 6 p. m. train going and returning can be bought of Mr. Elks on the train or at the P. & L. office, price 80c, regular fare.

INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

For up-to-date stationery — Daniel's Drug Store. 13 2t

John Tracy, of Dunbar, is calling on friends in town today.

Mike Herald was calling on friends in Monongahela last evening.

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G. F. Wright, the furniture man, is a business visitor to Pittsburg today.

A taste of March winds at last, but then we're getting used to varieties.

The Apollo Chocolate Candy for judges of good candy at Kirk's Drug Store.

William Lamont, Sr. is confined to his home with a severe attack of lagrippe.

Arthur Thomas, of Monongahela, was calling on friends in town last evening.

Toilet articles are a specialty with us—LIGHT'S DRUG STORE.

The Black Faced Minstrels will meet in Trescher's hall at 8 o'clock tonight.

See the Apollo, the new line of Chocolate Candy in Kirk's window.

Mrs. B. A. Campbell of Webster, is visiting her son, R. H. Campbell, of this place.

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E. M. Moyer has just sold the horse he used in connection with his sewing machine agency to Elroy Allen of Charleroi. The price paid was $150.

Everybody's talking about the Apollo Chocolate Candy. See it at Kirk's Drug Store.

The stork left a fine pair of twins at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Janovitz yesterday, a boy and a girl. Both children and mother are doing nicely. Max: he is doing the double shuffle.

Try the Monessen Laundry special lace curtain department. satisfaction guaranteed. 2-tf

Word was received yesterday from Edward Pittman, who left recently for Georgia to see his brother, who was reported in a dying condition from the effects of an accident, that he was dead.

The muddy condition of the streets at present, not only makes travel disagreeable, but does not leave a very good impression on the stranger who is compelled to wade through it. Let the proper parties wake up, "give the streets a good bath." They surely need it.

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A number of Monessen people were passengers on the evening train to Pittsburg last evening, attended the performance at the Nixon and returned home on the late train. Those who made up the party were Misses Martha Maloy, Hallie Hancock, Helen Hopwood, Messrs. O. J. Kreager, C. A. Light and Eli Wolfe.

See the Apollo, the new line of Chocolate Candy in Kirk' window.

WOMAN SLASHED WITH RAZOR

Trouble Result of Quarrel. Man Makes Good His Escape During Excitement.

A cutting affray which nearly resulted in murder occured at No. 118 Market Street McKeesport last night when David Hancock, a miner of West Newton, slashed the throat of Mamie Newell from ear to ear.

The police were at once summoned by the inmates of the house but Hancock made good his escape before they arrived, however his two companions James Pierce and Samuel Haney also miners were placed under arrest and held as witnesses. Hancock it appears became angered at some remark of the Newell girl and suddenly drew a razor cutting her throat, during the excitement which followed he made his escape. Dr. J. B. Clifford was called to the house and dressed the wound. She was later taken to the McKeesport Hospital and will probably recover. Hancock it seems was not of a quarrelsome disposition but had evidently been drinking which is the direct cause of the trouble. The police think they have him located and his arrest is looked for at any time.

New Typewriter Improvements.

The Smith Premier Typewriter company has just added some new devices to their typewriter that is completely revolutionizing the typewriter business and satisfying a long felt want of the business world. The chief of these improvements is a new ribbon device which by simply moving a lever, will permit the writing to be in either of three colors, blue, purple or red or any combination of colors desired by the operator. The writing can be changed from record ribbon to copying ribbon in an instant without removing the paper. The new device is easy to operate and durable.

Mr. J. M. Lane who represents the Smith Premier Typewriter company in this territory is in town this week and advises that the machine is being popularly received all over the territory. All persons who are interested in the purchase of a new typewriter would do well to examine into the merits of the new Smith Premier before buying elsewhere, Mr. Lane will be glad to demonstrate the machine or place one on a few days trail with any who desire it. A card addressed to him at 312 Fourth avenue Pittsburg will receive prompt attention.

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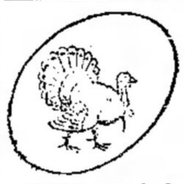

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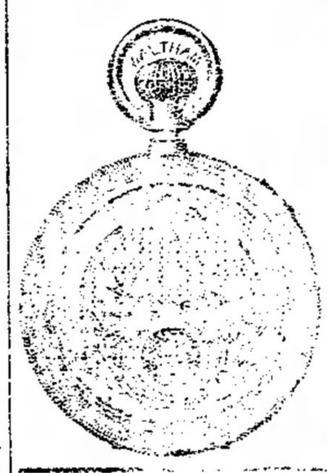

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Lincoln's Orderly Mind.

Lincoln's mind was orderly, though his methods were not. He neglected details because his thought, which was "as direct as a line," passed instantly to the vital spot, and all else seemed unimportant. "If I can free this case from technicalities and get it properly swung to the jury I'll win it," he used to say; and this was his mental attitude toward all legal questions. He had no training in technicalities as long as the firm of Stuart & Lincoln lasted, and it is doubtful if any teaching would have qualified him for attorney work or made him a master of detail. Yet as an office lawyer, such as rules the destinies of our modern corporate interests, he probably would have been invaluable. His mind comprehended large subjects without the slightest effort. Once concentrated on an issue he passed directly to the point, disregarded the thousand and one contingencies, all the academic pros and cons and reduced the problem to its simplest possible form.—Frederick Trevor Hill in Century.

Street Crowds in Caracas.

One of the features of the city of Caracas, Venezuela, that most strongly impresses a foreigner is the rapidity with which a crowd gathers in the streets. This is best exemplified when some of the many wandering musicians, in whom Caracas abounds, prepare to give an impromptu open air concert. Their first notes no sooner echo through the neighborhood than there gathers to listen a vast throng that almost blocks up the thoroughfare. The cobblers and all the other tenants of the entries, having no doors to open or stairs to descend, are on the spot almost instanter. They eagerly drink in the music, but at the same time bear a wary eye upon the hats of the musicians, and no sooner do they observe the slightest indication that one is about to be taken off for the purpose of taking up a collection by passing it around among the crowd than they disappear even more quickly than they came.

Tact and Policy.

A high fence should be built between the words tact and policy for the benefit of those who cannot see the bordering line.

"Oh, I have no tact," they say with a satisfied air. "Tact and policy are things I know nothing about."

And yet the two qualities are as distinct as north and south. Tact comes from the heart, and policy from the head. Policy is inspired by selfish interests and is a treacherous quality that one might well boast the lack of. Tact springs within from an unwillingness to hurt feelings, and it is the mark of innate kindness that has no personal motive. Tact is no enemy to truth. It offers truth on a salver instead of throwing it in the face, that's all.—Philadelphia Press.

Druggists and Borrowing.

New York druggists are frequent borrowers. Only the most complete pharmacies are constantly supplied with all the drugs required in compounding medicines. When a druggist is asked to fill a short notice prescription calling for some drug that he does not happen to have on hand, he does not take time to telephone to a wholesale house for the missing ingredient, but sends around to the nearest drug store and tries to borrow it. It is a peculiar feature of the situation that druggists seldom buy anything outright from each other. They merely borrow, then, after having replenished their stock from the wholesale houses they pay back the loan.—New York Post.

The Sea Otter.

The sea otter combines the habits of a seal with the intelligence and inventing character of the otter. When met in herds far out at sea, which is but seldom now, they are commonly seen swimming on their backs. They even eat their food lying in this position on the water, and nurse their young ones on their chests between their paws, exactly as a south sea island mother swims with her baby in the water. When swimming in this attitude they even shade their eyes with their paws when the sun dazzles them.

Poison In War.

The use of poison in war was once considered not only permissible, but commendable, and was defended by no less an authority than Wolff. There are reported instances of wells, springs, ponds and streams being poisoned as a military measure. Even in our time instances are numerous of the intentional defilement of drinking water supplies by throwing the bodies of animals into the stream or pond.

His Last Love.

She—I suppose you would have me believe I am the first woman you ever loved? He—Not at all. I've loved scores of women, but you are the last one I have fallen in love with. She—Very well, then, I'll say "Yes." As long as I am the last one you have loved we'll get along all right.—Boston Transcript.

Dispelled His Fears.

Old Gentleman—It is folly to talk of marriage for years yet. My daughter is a mere child. She knows nothing about the world and could not manage servants. Mr. Slimpurse—Oh, that needn't make the slightest difference! We shan't have any.

Our Best.

We need not be discouraged because of the great things others accomplish and which are far beyond the range of possibility for us. It is only our own best that is required of us, our own and not another's.—Woman's Life.

The earliest known cookbook was printed in Venice in 1475.

Milton's Burial Place.

When Milton died on Nov. 8, 1674, he was buried in St. Giles, Cripplegate, says the London Tatler, though its records were distributed in 1790, it is said, and it is not quite certain now where he actually lies. Earlier still the uncertainty seems to have existed, for Aubrey quaintly tells us: "His stone is now removed; about two yeares since (now 1681) the two steppes to the communion table were raysed. I glosse Jo Speed and he lie together." Still, even at the risk of gazing at "Jo Speed's" resting place by mistake, St. Giles should be visited today, for the whole neighborhood speaks of Milton. It was quite near, in Bartholomew close, that he lay hid after the restoration till he was pardoned; quite near, in Aldersgate street, that he took the "pretty Garden house at the end of an entry," that suited his studies, being "the quietest street in London"—excellent for the studies no doubt, but perhaps the reason for the flight of his frivolous young wife.—London Chronicle.

A Horse's Hands and Feet.

The horse never puts his heel on the ground, nor even the ball of his foot. He stands up on the very tips of his toes, and this is, in part, the reason why he can not go fast. Dobbin's heels are half way up his hind legs, and what we call his knees are really his wrists. The part corresponding to the upper arm is short and is so embedded in the muscles of the shoulder that the elbow comes next the body, but the horse has only one digit to each limb, and the wrist bones are comparatively small. The so called ankle, then, is the knuckle, where the digit joins the hand or the foot, and the "foot" is only a single thick finger or toe, with a great nail for a hoof. The lower half of the horse's forelog is really a gigantic hand, with only the middle finger and a piece out of the middle of the palm, while the corresponding part of his hind leg is a big, single toed foot.—St. Nicholas.

Hints to Public Speakers.

Never refer pityingly to the poor. This brands you at once as a demagogue. Never say anything respectful of corporate wealth. In so doing you lay yourself open to the charge of being a hired man.

Never use slang if you want respectable people to take stock in you. Never use pure English. The masses hate priggishness.

Never talk straight to the point. You will be accused of taking yourself too seriously. Never tell funny stories. They lead to the suspicion of chicanery.

Never praise "our forefathers." Ancestry pride is disgusting. Never appeal to the "sturdy immigrant heaven in our midst." It riles the old families.—Newark News.

Life's Highest Achievement.

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Street Crowds in Caracas.

One of the features of the city of Caracas, Venezuela, that most strongly impresses a foreigner is the rapidity with which a crowd gathers in the streets. This is best exemplified when some of the many wandering musicians, in whom Caracas abounds, prepare to give an impromptu open air concert. Their first notes no sooner echo through the neighborhood than there gathers to listen a vast throng that almost blocks up the thoroughfare. The cobblers and all the other tenants of the entries, having no doors to open or stairs to descend, are on the spot almost instanter. They eagerly drink in the music, but at the same time bear a wary eye upon the hats of the musicians, and no sooner do they observe the slightest indication that one is about to be taken off for the purpose of taking up a collection by passing it around among the crowd than they disappear even more quickly than they came.

Tact and Policy.

A high fence should be built between the words tact and policy for the benefit of those who cannot see the bordering line.

"Oh, I have no tact!" they say with a satisfied air. "Tact and policy are things I know nothing about."

And yet the two qualities are as distinct as north and south. Tact comes from the heart, and policy from the head. Policy is inspired by selfish interests and is a treacherous quality that one might well boast the lack of. Tact springs within from an unwillingness to hurt feelings, and it is the mark of innate kindness that has no personal motive. Tact is no enemy to truth. It offers truth on a salver instead of throwing it in the face, that's all.—Philadelphia Press.

Druggists and Borrowing.

New York druggists are frequent borrowers. Only the most complete pharmacies are constantly supplied with all the drugs required in compounding medicines. When a druggist is asked to fill a short notice prescription calling for some drug that he does not happen to have on hand, he does not take time to telephone to a wholesale house for the missing ingredient, but sends around to the nearest drug store and tries to borrow it. It is a peculiar feature of the situation that druggists seldom buy anything outright from each other. They merely borrow, then, after having replenished their stock from the wholesale houses they pay back the loan.—New York Post.

The Sea Otter.

The sea otter combines the habits of a seal with the intelligence and amusing character of the otter. When met in herds far out at sea, which is but seldom now, they are commonly seen swimming on their backs. They even eat their food lying in this position on the water, and nurse their young ones on their chests between their paws, exactly as a south sea island mother swims with her baby in the water. When swimming in this attitude they even shade their eyes with their paws when the sun dazzles them.

Poison In War.

The use of poison in war was once considered not only permissible, but commendable, and was defended by no less an authority than Wolff. There are reported instances of wells, springs, ponds and streams being poisoned as a military measure. Even in our time instances are numerous of the intentional defilement of drinking water supplies by throwing the bodies of animals into the stream or pond.

His Last Love.

She—I suppose you would have me believe I am the first woman you ever loved? He—Not at all. I've loved scores of women, but you are the last one I have fallen in love with. She—Very well, then, I'll say "Yes." As long as I am the last one you have loved we'll get along all right.—Boston Transcript.

Dispelled His Fears.

Old Gentleman—It is folly to talk of marriage for years yet. My daughter is a mere child. She knows nothing about the world and could not manage servants. Mr. Slimpurse—Oh, that needn't make the slightest difference! We shan't have any.

Our Best.

We need not be discouraged because of the great things others accomplish and which are far beyond the range of possibility for us. It is only our own best that is required of us, our own and not another's.—Woman's Life.

The earliest known cookbook was printed in Venice in 1475.

Milton's Burial Place.

When Milton died on Nov. 8, 1674, he was buried in St. Giles, Cripplegate, says the London Tatler, though his remains were distributed in 1790, it is said, and it is not quite certain now where he actually lies. Earlier still the uncertainty seems to have existed, for Aubrey quaintly tells us: "His stone is now removed; about two yeares since (now 1681) the two steppes to the communion table were raysed. I gheesse Jo Speed and he lie together." Still, even at the risk of gazing at "Jo Speed's" resting place by mistake, St. Giles should be visited today, for the whole neighborhood speaks of Milton. It was quite near, in Bartholomew close, that he lay hid after the restoration till he was pardoned; quite near, in Aldersgate street, that he took the "pretty Garden house at the end of an entry," that suited his studies, being "the quietest street in London"—excellent for the studies no doubt, but perhaps the reason for the flight of his frivolous young wife.—London Chronicle.

A Horse's Hands and Feet.

The horse never puts his heel on the ground, nor even the ball of his foot. He stands up on the very tips of his toes, and this is, in part, the reason why he can trot so fast. Dobbin's heels are half way up his hind legs, and what we call his knees are really his wrists. The part corresponding to the upper arm is short and is so embedded in the muscles of the shoulder that the elbow comes next the body, but the horse has only one digit to each limb, and the wrist bones are comparatively small. The so called ankle, then, is the knuckle, where the digit joins the hand or the foot, and the "foot" is only a single thick finger or toe, with a great nail for a hoof. The lower half of the horse's foreleg is really a gigantic hand, with only the middle finger and a piece out of the middle of the palm, while the corresponding part of his hind leg is a big, single toed foot.—St. Nicholas.

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Thomas Henderson of Buena Vista, is calling on friends in town today.

Arthur Mac Gee, a traveling salesman of Cincinnati, is transacting business in town today.

Miss Etta McDonald, who has been ill for the past few days, is reported improving.

Dr W. H. Cowan who left last week for Chicago, has gone on to Indian Territory to spend about a week

E Larose, formerly of Fayette City, is moving his family to Webster. His household goods arrived yesterday.

Gov. Pennypacker has already signed the bill for the Donora Webster bridge and the commissioners can now proceed to issue bonds. Let them get busy, there is already been enough delay and the much needed bridge will be a reality.

C. H. Snyder, the enterprising poultry dealer, will soon begin the erection of an additional stock coop. It is Mr Snyder's intention to raise as much young stock as possible this coming season so that he can supply the increasing demand for breeding birds. Mr. Snyder certainly has a fine collection of poultry and invites inspection.

Twins Puzzle a Court.

Joseph W. Maxwell, of Denver, attorney for the Herbert Sheerer estate, is about to file a puzzling petition in County Judge McCall's court. Sheerer, upon being told that he was fatally ill, made provision for a child he expected to be born. Sheerer died and instead of one child, there were twins.

The will provided that the child, if a boy, should have two thirds of the estate and the widow one third; if a girl, the child to have one third and the widow two thirds. What share will the twins, one a boy and the other a girl have, is the question Attorney Maxwell wants to ask Judge McCall.

Newspaper Pictures Good as Photographs.

With its issue of Sunday, March 11, The Pittsburg Gazette will begin the publication of a half-tone illustrated section of eight full size pages. This section will be printed on a high grade of book paper with fine inks, making the whole equal to high class magazine work. The illustrations will consist of reproductions of interesting photographs of people and things, the character of the work making each cut look like a photograph. While the art of making cuts has reached a high degree of perfection, the printing of them in newspapers on fast presses and soft paper has not been satisfactory. For this reason The Pittsburg Gazette has taken this forward step at great expense, but the Smoky City will excel it in any feature. No doubt there will be a great demand for The Sunday Gazette, and those who wish it should place their order early.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between Jacob Richter & Henry Cramer under the firm name of Richter and Cramer engaged in the retail Clothing and Gent's Furnishing business at 505 Schoonmaker avenue Monessen, Pa. has been this day dissolved by mutal consent. Mr. Jacob Richter retiring, while, Mr. Henry Cramer will continue in business at the same place under the firm name of Cramer's Clothing and Shoe House Said Henry Cramer will settle all debts due by said co-partnership.

JACOB RICHTER.
HENRY CRAMER.

Monessen, Pa. March 1st. 1906 12-6t

Died.

Carl E. Stonquist, the 11-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Stonquist, died yesterday of pneumonia The remains will be buried tomorrow in Grandview cemetery.

The remains of Ida May Watkins, colored, who died Tuesday, were buried yesterday in Grandview cemetery. The child who was but two years of age, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Glen Watkins. Her death was due to burns received Friday of last week.

Move To South Dakota.

The successful crops of the past years and the exceptional opportunities still offered the farmer, rancher or merchant in Lyman county should induce you to investigate the openings there for yourself Homeseekers' excursions at about half rates via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railway on first and third Tuesdays in March and April. South Dakota book and Lyman county leaflet for two cents postage.

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"Uncle Josh Perkins"

"Uncle Josh Perkins" is the title of a play that has scored a success this season unprecedented in recent years. It is to be given here in all its entirety by the original company which first carried it on to prosperity and popularity. It will be produced here next Saturday March 10th at the opera house and it is certain to play to a packed house. Uncle Josh Perkins is a comedy drama; there is a touch of tragic nature in it that excites to an intense pitch the emotions of the spectators but all ends happily. The play is also livened up by the exellent comedy and when the spectators are not in tears over the misfortune of the beautiful young heroine and the shadows that appear to threaten her future, they are laughing and applauding uproariously at the funny antics of the comedians. Some new and exceedingly clever songs and specialties are introduced at appropriate stages of the play a vast amount of new and magnificent scenery is used for the impressive stage pictures presented in each of the four acts of the piece.

Doings in Police Court.

When Burgess Shutterly opened court this morning, Albert Smith, colored, was the only gentlemen introduced to his honor. Arresting officer R. D. Marietta explained that Smith was a stranger and he took him in. Smith, it seems, had been disposing of song books without license He was also a suspicious character. Burgess Shutterly told Smith that Monessen people didn't need song books, they had muddy streets just now and that was as much as most of them could stand, but that if he (Smith) would get out of town promptly, he would be discharged. Smith said he would get.

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Hopeless Cases.

We specially invite all those who have been treated elsewhere without benefit, let us show you where the fault was. Your case has not been properly diagnosed or improperly treated. Call on Dr. Andorf and secure his opinion free of charge and then you will realize why you have not been cured Do not become despondent, but come and you will realize again that your case can be cured and again enjoy health and happiness.

What We Treat.

Dr. Andorf treats all special and chronic diseases of men and women. No matter what your complaint or how long you have been sick, our experience has been varied in hospital and private practice enabling us to treat successfully all diseases.

Rheumatism.

We cure this painful disease in a short time, give you instant relief, remove all swellings from the joints and remove all poison from the system.

Kidney and Bladder.

If you are suffering from any disease of the Kidneys such as pains across the back, urine discolored, dull pains and headache, you should not neglect this as it always leads to serious complications and death. The Bladder often causes trouble such as burning of the urine, frequent desire to pass it and inflamation of the glands, causing severe pains We stop this in one week's treatment and effect a permanent cure.

Nervous Troubles.

Are you nervous, easily excited, flushes of heat and cold, heart trouble, dizzy spells and weakness? Then you should by all means consult us before your disease becomes incurable. We remove all these symptoms by our treatment and guarantee you a permanent cure

Epilepsy.

We guarantee to cure epilepsy or falling sickness and desire to meet all such persons afflicted to call on us at once

Stomach and Liver Troubles.

No need to suffer from any of these distressing maladies We give you an absolute cure.

We Cure Skin Diseases.

Pimples and black spots, any discolorations and blemishes. We cure catarrh, consumption, diseases of children, coughs and enlarged glands.

Diseases of Men.

We want every man who is suffering from some secret disease to consult us confidentially and assure you that we will treat you correctly and effect a cure in the least possible time.

Blood Poison.

Such as breaking out, sores, ulcers and general disability with all its symptoms. We can guarantee to cure by this treatment in one month, remove all signs of it in a few days

Variocelle.

Are you suffering from this disease, enlarged veins weakness, loss of vital energy, constant drain, your memory has been impaired, you are bashful, desire seclusion, sleep is disturbed, languid feeling in the morning. You have lost all interest about you. We ask you to call and let us show you how we have cured others and why we can cure you Do not delay as health means a restoration of strength and new life.

Nervous Decline.

Many young and middle aged men find that they lack energy and vitality, loss of manly strength, lack vim and vigor, easily exhausted and often completely wrecked, to all such we earnestly desire to offer our best efforts and can assure you by our treatment a complete cure will be effected, full strength restored to the weakened organs with full power and vigor.

Acute Discharges.

We stop all discharges and inflamation in five days, heal sores and ulcers with one treatment, remove all swellings and inflamation at once. Consult us now. Our charges are moderate and our cures are permanent

Diseases of Women.

We invite every woman who is suffering from any diseases to consult us and secure our advice We can save you many years of suffering and anxiety, if you consult us now. Do not let pride keep you away—resolve to get well and make the start to-day.

=====Consultation is Free.=====

Dr. Andorf will be at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, Monessen Pa., Monday, March 12, where he can be consulted during the day. No charge is made for any advice or examination.

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